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A Fireproof Safe in the House. au28 dwtf

Colonial Hotel and Restaurant,

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURCHASED the Colonial Hotel and Restaurant, will spare no effort to keep the establishment in first class style and render guests as comfortable as in any house on the Coast.

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mh7 — LUGAS & RIDON Proprietors.

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TERMS—Cash in advance.
Fire-proof Safe in the House.
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Never Failing and Perfectly Harmless.

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Residence, Discovery street, next door to Victoria Brewery. ap12

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THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS FOR SALE

300 Cords of Seasoned Firewood.

Orders left at FRANK CAMPBELL'S or at my residence will receive prompt attention.
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Accountants and Average Adjusters

LOANS NEGOTIATED

Settlements Effected......Accounts Audited

Rents and Debts Collected.

GOVERNMENT STREET, Victoria,
30th November, 1872. no30

Insurance.

The Standard

LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

GOVERNOR:
HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF BUCCLEUCH AND QUEENSBERRY, K. G.

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THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF DALKEITH, M. P.
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82 King William Street, } London.
3 Pall Mall, East, }
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MANAGER & ACTUARY—Wm. Thos. Thompson, F.R.S.E.
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Total Amount of Invested Funds, £4,095,589 16 2.

Annual Revenue, £703,450 19 9.

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ROBERT BURNABY,
je15 — Government Street.

Imperial Fire Insurance COMPANY.

1 Old Broad Street and 16 Pall Mall,

LONDON,

Instituted, 1808.

FOR INSURING HOUSES AND OTHER Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbor or Dock, and the Cargoes of such ships; also, Ships building or repairing, Barges or other Vessels, on navigable rivers and canals, and Goods on board such vessels, throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, from loss or damage by Fire.

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THE COMPANY has divided Profits on Eight occasions since its establishment in 1825.
THE SURPLUS FUND divided among the policyholders in 1870 amounted to the large sum of £331,591 13s
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THE UNION INSURANCE COMP'Y

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ja16 3m — Agents.

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Accumulated Funds, ... £3,286,126.

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Stock and Mutual Plans Combined.

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A company with capital and breadth enough to be safe beyond question, with national extent and prestige, and yet a HOME company throughout the Dominion.

WILLIAM McCABE,
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AT LOW RATES ON FIRST-CLASS SECUrity:

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The Proposed Diocesan Synod.

NOTICE.

THE QUESTION OF THE CHRIST CHURCH Congregation joining the proposed Synod has been settled by a large majority of its members, who have sent in their signatures to me, refusing all connection with it on the principles on which it is proposed to be constituted.
I think it my duty, therefore, to counsel those who have signed the said declaration not to take any part in the proposed Election of Delegates to the Convention; which election, I, as their Pastor, advise them not to attend. E. CRIDGE.
6th April, 1874. ap7

New Advertisements.

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SIX THOROUGH-BRED DURHAM SHORT-HORN BULLS!

FROM KENTUCKY,

Will be in Portland, Oregon, in about 3 Weeks,

REDS & ROANS, 1 TO 3 YEARS OLD,

AND ALL AMERICAN HERD BOOK RECORDED.

Will stop 4 days en route to Walla Walla.

These Bulls are from the Finest Herds in Kentucky and weigh from 1000 to 2100 pounds.
We will sell any of the above and advise parties in want to come and see them.
Parties writing us at Cosmopolitan Hotel, Portland, will be informed the exact date of our arrival.
Part Credit given responsible parties if desired.

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The Babcock PORTABLE FIRE EXTINGUISHER

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In daily use by the Fire Departments of the principal cities of the Union. The Government has adopted them. The leading railways use them.

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AGENT FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.
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THOS. HODGES, Baker and Grocer,

Corner of Douglas and Pandora streets.

BREAD AND GROCERIES DELIVERED by my Cart to any part of the City Free of Charge
no8

J. FINLAYSON, FAMILY GROCER

Tea and Coffee Dealer,

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BEST JAVA COFFEE FRESH ROASTED and ground daily.
Goods delivered to any part of city. je10

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IMPORTERS OF

CHINESE MERCHANDISE,

Cormorant St., Victoria, B.C.,

HAVE BRANCH HOUSES AT YALE, Quesnellemouth, Barkerville and the Forks of Quesnelle.
Commission Merchants and wholesale Dealers in
RICE, SUGAR, OPIUM, AND ALL KINDS OF CHINESE MERCHANDISE AND PROVISIONS.
ALSO ON HAND—Congou Tea in half chests; Basket and all kinds of Best Teas; Duck Jumpers and Pants; Denin Overalls and Jumpers; and a variety of other goods too numerous to mention. no14

JOHN J. RUSSELL,

WILL OPEN HIS NEW STABLES COR ner Broad street and Trounce alley in a few days An elegant

Landau CARRIAGE

Just imported from London, on hire.
Orders left at H. MANSELL'S Boot and Shoe Store, Government st., will meet with prompt attention.
no8 3m

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Teeth filled with fine Gold, Artificial Bone and Platina.
All Plate Work made and repaired, of the latest material, at the shortest notice and warranted.
Particular attention paid to correcting irregularities in children's teeth. Hours from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
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John Parker & Co.

BEG TO INFORM THE INHABITANTS of Victoria and vicinity that they will open the above market on **Friday next, August 22d,** and intend to keep constantly on hand a choice selection of

Stock, Meats of all kinds, and Vegetables,

Which they will offer at the VERY LOWEST RATES, and hope by strict attention to business to merit a share of public patronage.
Goods delivered Free of Charge. Hotels, Families and Shipping supplied at Short Notice. mh10

EDWARD MOHUN

CIVIL ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR,

Government Street,

my28 — Between Fort and Broughton.

B. C. P. Orphan's Home.

MESSRS. SIFFKEN & ALLSOP ARE AUthorized to make collections for the above institution. JNO. ROBSON, Secretary.

Miscellaneous.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., per Prince Alfred	About the 10th and 25th of each Month	About the 12th and 27th of each month.
Do. via Olympia	Monday and Thursday 2 P.M.	Tuesday 10:30 A.M; Thursday 5:30 P.M.
New Westminster, Cariboo and Intermediate Offices.	Thursday at 4 P.M.	Tuesday at 5:30 P.M.
Nanaimo and East Coast Offices	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday 5:30 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A. M. and 4 P. M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P. M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A. M.	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
Sooke	Monday, 3 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A. M.

MONEY ORDERS.

MONEY ORDERS ON GREAT BRITAIN ISSUED AND PAID.

OFFICE HOURS—From 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.
FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 10 A. M. to 4 P. M., except on Mail Days, when Money Orders will not be issued.

HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.
POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 30th August, 1871. ja1

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Miners' Outfits! Miners' Outfits!

FOR CASSIAR.

HENRY SAUNDERS,

OF JOHNSON STREET,

Is prepared to supply Miners and others with every requisite for a complete Outfit, such as:

Self Raising Flour, Golden Gate Brand,
Oregon, California, Chicago and Heywood's Island Bacon,
New Bayou Beans, Preserved Vegetables,
Mining Tools, Gum Boots, Tobacco, Wines, Spirits, &c.

Which he will sell LOWER than any other House in the City.

All orders packed with dispatch and accuracy, made up into convenient sized packages and delivered on board the steamer Free of Charge for Drayage and Wharfage

HENRY SAUNDERS,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCER,
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"The Vanguard has gone—may success gild their footprints."

JOHN BOYD,

GROCER, WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANT,

PATTRICK'S CORNER, JOHNSON STREET,

FIRST STORE ABOVE GOVERNMENT STREET.

MINERS and others who may honor him with a call may depend upon getting the Very Best articles at the Lowest Prices.
Packages for the Mines put up with care and in First Class Order.

IMPERIAL WEIGHTS AND MEASURES GUARANTEED.

John Boyd's

Celebrated Blend of SCOTCH WHISKY

Is Unequalled on the Coast.

PLEASE NOTE THE ADDRESS—*Pattrick's Corner, Johnson Street, first store above Government Street.* ja27

ROSS BAY. CEMETERY.

THE ORDINARY FEES PAYABLE UPON interments are as follows:
For a burial in either of the two rows next to every gravel road............ $20 00
For a burial in any other row............ 12 50
Lower Fees are payable for the burial of Children under ten years of age.
Upon good cause being shown the fees in any instance are either reduced or altogether remitted.
J. H. TURNER,
Chairman of the Cemetery Board.
March 12th, 1874. mh13

BAGNALL'S PIANO AND MUSIC STORE

HAS BEEN ENLARGED AND STOCKED with a fine selection of

English & French Pianos,

PARIS HARMONIUMS,

MASON & HAMLIN ORGANS,

A Large Assortment of

Violins & Cases, Bows, Best Roman Strings, Music Stools, Canterburies, Whatnots, Music Stands, Book and Sheet Music, New Music Every Month.

Pianos for Hire or Purchase on Easy Terms. All Instruments Warranted.

J. BAGNALL, Tuner and Repairer of Musical Instruments, 25 years experience. mh8

Dr. CHONG,

JUST ARRIVED FROM CHINA—PHYSIcian, Surgeon and Accoucheur.
Cormorant street, three doors below Kwong Lee's.
Every description of Chinese Medicines for sale.
Medicines just received from China au17

New Custom House Blanks

FOR SALE IN ANY QUANTITY At the COLONIST OFFICE

ONE Box of CLARKE'S B41 PILLS

IS warranted to cure all discharges from the Urinary Organs, in either sex, acquired or constitutional, Gravel and Pains in the Back. Sold in Boxes 4s 6d each, by all Chemists and Patent Medicine Vendors.
Sole Proprietor, F. J. CLARKE,
APOTHECARIES' HALL, LINCOLN, ENGLAND.

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Sanger and Sons, Oxford Street, London.
And all the Wholesale Houses.

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MONTREAL—Evans, Mercer & Co., Wholesale Druggists
" Lymans, Clare and Co.
TORONTO—Elliott and Co., Wholesale Druggists.
" Shapter and Co.
[illegible]ON—Winer and Co.
[illegible]X—Avery, Brown and Co. se18dw

WONDERFUL DISCOVERY—Corns cured in one day by using ALEX. ROSS'S CHIROPO.—This preparation gradually dissolves the Corn in a few hours. 248 High Holborn, London. To be had of
au1 dw — LANGLEY & CO., Chemists, Victoria.

SPANISH FLY is the acting ingredient in ALEX. ROSS'S CANTHARIDES OIL, which speedily produces whiskers and thickens hair. ALEX. ROSS, 248 High Holborn, London. Sold by
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A. Casamayou & Co.,

YATES ST., VICTORIA.

COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND WHOLEsale Dealers in

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HAVANA CIGARS

mh18 — And French Preserves.

NOTICE. Team for Hire.

GEO. FRANCIS begs to notify the public that his Team stands opposite his Stable on Trounce Alley ready for hire at any hour of the Day or Night. ap1

Notices.

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
de30 — LD. LOWENBERG

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening mh4

Notice.

MR. THEODORE DAVIE, SOLICITOR and Notary Public, has removed his office to the brick building on Langley street, next door to the late Custom House. ja9

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I WILL not be responsible for any debts incurred by my wife, Mrs. Eliza Jane Bellamy, from the date hereof.
GEORGE BELLAMY,
Staff Surgeon, 2d Class, Royal Navy.
H. M. Dockyard, Portsmouth,
February 11th, 1874. mh25

NOTICE.

Department of Indian Affairs.

DURING THE ABSENCE OF THE INDIAN Commissioner, Mr. Hamilton Moffatt has been appointed to act in the management of Indian Affairs.
J. W. POWELL, Lieut. Col.
Indian Commissioner.
Indian Office, Yates st.,
Victoria, Feb. 25, 1874. fe26

NOTICE.

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM THE PROvince Mr. James Gibson holds my Power of Attorney and will carry on the Brewery as usual.
A. BUNSTER.
Victoria, March 8, 1874. mh11

NOTICE

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM THE PROvince, my Power of Attorney dated 16th September, 1865, will continue to be held by Mr. Thomas Lett Stahlschmidt, who will act for myself and all others whose powers I hold.
ROBT. BURNABY.
Victoria, B.C., 24th Feb., 1874. mh3 1m

T. B. HUMPHREYS & CO., AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

SALESROOM—YATES ST, next to Wells, Fargo & Co'

A PUBLIC SALE OF LIVE STOCK WILL be held EVERY SATURDAY at 12 o'clock, noon, at our Cattle Sales Yard, corner Cormorant and Douglas streets.
The above arrangement affords superior facilities to parties wishing to dispose of their stock at Short Notice.
T. B. HUMPHREYS & CO.,
se23 — Auctioneers

WILLIAMS' STAGES

WILL COMMENCE TO-DAY MAKING Regular Trips between Victoria and Esquimalt and Return; and Victoria and Saanich, and return as follows:

Carrying MAILS & PASSENGERS.

Will leave Victoria for Esquimalt—Daily at 8 a.m., 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.
Will leave Esquimalt for Victoria—Daily at 9:30 a.m., 2 p.m. and 5 p.m.
Will leave Victoria for Saanich every Wednesday at 9 a. m.
Return—Will leave Saanich for Victoria Same Day at 4 p.m.
ap3 — J. W. WILLIAMS, Prop'r.

FREDERICK REYNOLDS

FAMILY

BUTCHER,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

Meats and Vegetables,

PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY ROYAL NAVY.

THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand.
Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch.
Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW.
mh10 — LONDON MARKET

HUNG GAY,

GOVERNMENT STREET next to the San Francisco Baths,

CONTRACTOR AND INTELLIGENCE OFFICE,

LABOR of all kinds supplied at short notice. ja14

DR. YING,

From the College of Medicine, Canton.

LATELY ARRIVED.

CURES CONSUMPTION BLEEDING OF THE Lungs, Paralysis, and other diseases.
Johnson street, next door to On Hing's. fe1 6m

A CARD.

EDITOR COLONIST:—I hereby annex a list of articles which I think are most required, and the prices here at King Lear's store, Fort Wrangel:

FLOUR—$5 per cwt.
SUGAR—18 cents.
BACON—18 cents.
COFFEE—Green, 40 cts; ground, 50 cts.
YEAST POWDERS—$3 50 per dozen.
AXES—$2 00 and $2 50.
MOCASSINS—75 cts to $1.
MITTENS—75 cts to $1.
GOOD FUR CAPS—75 cts to $1
SNOW SHOES—$4.

Other things in proportion and plenty of them at the store.
SLEDS are preferable to Tobogans for river travel
JOHN CLARKE.
WRANGEL, March 5, 1874. mh15 1m

THOS. TROUNCE, Architect, &c.,

OFFICE, ON KANE ST. ABOVE DOUGLAS.

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS CAREfully prepared for Public Buildings or Private Residences, and the usual business of an Architect promptly executed. ja6 3m

Ld. Lowenberg,

Real Estate Agent

Government St., near Corner of Broughton.

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION to selling, purchasing and leasing property; in negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.
Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on his Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street; Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some of which affords rare chance for investment.
Money on bond and mortgage to loan in sums to suit the demands.
Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. de14

Daily British Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, APRIL 12TH, 1874.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

English Mail.

Out of 212 samples of tobacco analyzed at the offices of the Inland Revenue Board in 1872, there were as many as 129 adulterated.

Mr. J. Collins Ward, clerk to the stipendiary magistrate for South Staffordshire, on the 13th ult. fell dead in the Wolverhampton Police-court. A case of embezzlement was being heard, and at the moment when Mr. Ward was writing a name he uttered a cry and fell with his face upon his desk a corpse.

The famous racehorse Voltigeur was shot, his leg having been broken by a kick from another horse.

The Duke of Abercorn kissed hands on his appointment as Viceroy of Ireland, and in the evening left for Dublin.

The diamond fields at the Cape of Good Hope are now well-nigh deserted.

The Hon. George Wentworth Fitzwilliam, master of the Fitzwilliam Hunt, a crack pack of hounds in England, died on March 4, at Milton House, near Peterborough, from the effects of injuries received by him in the hunting field a few days since. Although his injuries were serious, no fatal result was apprehended until erysipelas set in. He was the son of the fifth Earl Fitzwilliam, and brother of the present Earl, being also an uncle of Viscount Milton, who is well known in Canada.

A workingman of Dundee, Scotland, writing of co-operation in that town, says: That about a year ago a few men clubbed together and bought a box of soap and a chest of tea, and retailed it among themselves. The results were astonishing. There are now one hundred and eighty shareholders, and they have a shop of their own.

The arena enclosed within the walls of the Coliseum is now the scene of extensive excavations. Horses and carts are always coming and going, carrying away the earth which is in process of removal, to a depth of a dozen or fifteen feet, or down to the original level. As far as the work has yet gone, enough has been discovered to interest those curious in studies of the past, and the throng of visitors every day increases.

How the Poor Man is Robbed by Government Agents.

EDITOR COLONIST:—I am a poor man, have a pre-emption claim at Burrard Inlet, which I am trying to clear in order to make a living. I have a few improvements which I have accumulated by dint of hard work, but very little money. I learned that I was likely to have to pay a Road Tax and I saw the following notice in the local papers:

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that lists of all persons within the City and District of New Westminster who are liable to pay Road Tax for the year 1874, can be seen at the Government Agent's Office, New Westminster.

HENRY V. EDMONDS,
Assessor and Collector.

You may be sure I was not in a hurry to leave my work to go to New Westminster to look at the lists, expecting to see another notice requiring payment by a certain day, or perhaps personal application from the collector. I was in the city on some business when the Government Agent told me the taxes were due, and asked me pay them; but I had not the money, and did not like to borrow it just then.

About a month afterwards I was in the city, and was informed that a summons was out against me; I went to the Agent's office and tendered the money for my taxes and the cost of the summons, which he declined to receive, telling me that I must pay for service of summons and for mileage; he said the mileage was five dollars and the other costs three dollars and a quarter, but if I would pay two and a half mileage and the three and a quarter, he would let me off. This I declined to do as I had never been served with a summons. A few days afterwards I was in the city when I was served with a summons a short distance from the Agent's office, on which were six dollars mileage and the three dollars and a quarter costs, making nine dollars and a quarter expenses. To make a long story short, I attended the Court and all the expenses were voluntarily taken off by the Government Agent, except two dollars and twenty-five cents.

But mark the following facts: There were thirty or forty summonses issued to persons at the Inlet besides myself. There is a constable at the Inlet who would have served them gladly at one dollar each or less; but our Agent here creates his brother-in-law a special constable and he then tacks five dollars for mileage on to each summons, making a nice little sum for his relatives as he would only be out at the Inlet one or two days and, say, forty summonses issued there would be a nice little two hundred dollars with very little trouble.

I always supposed the servants of the Government were those from whom we might look for the most justice; but I would ask the readers of your widely circulated paper what the attempt to obtain seven dollars from me over and above the proper charges can be termed, I do not admit he had any right to issue the summonses without a proper notice of such intended issue; but if they were necessary they should have been sent through the proper channel. The constable at the Inlet would have been well paid with $1 for each summons, instead of making a special constable of his brother-in-law to make an excuse for laying on exorbitant charges. Many have paid these outrageous charges and others allowed judgment to go by default. But I believe those who paid can recover the amount overcharged. JOSEPH BURR.

Burrard Inlet, April 10th, 1874.

For bargains in Clothing (both over and under) in Hand Knit Socks, in Felt Hats, in Myrtle Navy Tobacco, go to J. H. TODD'S Canadian Store, Yates street near Wharf. N.B.—Remember, no 15 per cent. duty to pay there.

New Advertisements.

COWS FOR SALE.

A FEW FIRST-CLASS DAIRY COWS (newly calved) guaranteed gentle and quiet.
Also, 1 FIRST-CLASS BULL.
J. W. CARTER,
ap12 1m* At Hillside Farm.

NOTICE.

MR. FRANK RICHARDS AND MR. W. J. JEFFREE hold my Power of Attorney during my absence from the Province.
WM. NICHOLL.
Victoria, April 11, 1874. ap12 1w

To the Public.

I WAS ARRESTED ON SUNDAY LAST by the Police of this city and charged with being a notorious rogue and a vagabond. The "Standard," although a man is presumed to be innocent until he is proved guilty, at once pronounced me to be all the Police charged, and then, when on Monday, I vindicated my character and was triumphantly discharged, the "Standard" had not the decency to so report. I leave the public to judge of the fair play that may be expected from such a paper. I am a hardworking man and well known in the Province as such. I defy contradiction and think the Police should be reprimanded for their conduct towards me.
Respectfully, THOMAS BUSH.
Victoria, April 11th, 1874. ap12 1t*

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between H. T. Mann and Wm. R. Gibbon, under the name of H. T. Mann & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. H. T. Mann, himself, will collect all accounts and pay all liabilities of the late firm to date.
WM. REID GIBBON,
HENRY THOS. MANN.
WITNESS—J. P. Davies.

MR. HENRY SOAR HAS THIS DAY BEEN admitted a partner, and the business in future will be carried on as usual, in the same premises, under the name of H. T. MANN & CO.
Victoria, April 11th, 1874. ap12dw

NANAIMO!
NEW BOOT AND SHOE STORE.

MR. THOS. SMITH BEGS TO announce to the people of

NANAIMO AND VICINITY

That he will open a new Boot and Shoe store on WEDNESDAY, April 15th, with a

Large and Fashionable Stock.
ap12dw

AUCTION.
PLUMMER & PAGDEN

Will sell at their store, Wharf st.,

On Thursday, April 16, 1874

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A.M.,

FURNITURE
Household Effects,
WEARING APPAREL, Etc., Etc.

ALSO—Under distraint for rent,

Bed and Bedding, Crockery, Glassware Lamps, etc., etc.

ALSO,

1 "Verstaen" Combination Safe.

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CUTLERY,
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NICKEL SILVER,
WATCHES,
CLOCKS,
JEWELERY,
FANCY GOODS,
TOYS,
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CABINETWARE,
STATIONERY,
&c., &c.

ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUES furnished on receipt of Business Card.
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THEATRE ROYAL!

CONTINUED SUCCESS OF

MISS FANNY MORGAN PHELPS'

DRAMATIC COMPANY

Who will appear on Monday, Thursday and Saturday Evenings in new pieces.

Monday Eve'g, April 13th,

The Military and Musical Drama of the

DAUGHTER of the REGIMENT,

And a highly amusing FARCE.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Dress Circle & Orchestra	$1 00
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Private Boxes	$6 and $8

Box-office will be open each day from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m
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FOR BUCK'S BAR,
Stickeen River.

THE NEW RIVER STEAMER

"CLENORA,"

CAPT. JOHN IRVING,

Will leave Victoria for the above port about the 20th inst., carrying a limited number of passengers.
For further particulars apply on board at Dickson, Campbell & Co's Wharf. ap11

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE STEAMER

Prince Alfred,

CAPTAIN - - - - F. C. SHOLL.

Will sail from Brodrick's wharf at Daylight on SUNDAY morning.
For Freight or Passage apply to
ap11 R. BRODRICK & CO., Wharf street.

FOR THE CASSIAR MINES.

THE STEAMSHIP

CALIFORNIA,

CAPT. JOHN HAYES,

Will leave Victoria for Sitka and Fort Wrangel, at the mouth of Stekin River, on Sunday April 12th, at daylight.
For Freight or Passage apply to
J. P. GOODHUE, Agent O.S.S.Co.,
feb9 Office at Brodrick & Co's.

New Advertisements.

STILL IN THE FIELD.

VICTORIA

CARRIAGE, WAGON, HORSE-SHOEING

—AND—

General Jobbing Establishment.

THE UNDERSIGNED IN RETURNING thanks to his numerous friends for their kind patronage and support during the last fourteen years, begs leave to announce that he is still in the field, and that on Monday next, the 8th December, the doors of the old shop, corner of Government and Pandora streets, will be thrown open to the general public.

The business in future will be under the sole control and management of the undersigned, who will spare no pains to make negotiations agreeable and easy.

Although my past experience in the business and long intercourse with the public, together with my well established reputation as a manufacturer, render further assurance unnecessary, I still feel bound to say that all work entrusted to my charge will be executed in a workmanlike and satisfactory manner.

Orders from abroad solicited.
de4 6mdw SIMEON DUCK

"The Bankruptcy Act, 1872."

WILLIAM HENRY ROBERTSON AND Alexander Selkirk Robertson, late of Omineca, but now of the city of Victoria, Carpenters and co-partners, having been adjudged bankrupts under a petition for adjudication of bankruptcy, filed in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, in Bankruptcy, at Victoria, on the twenty-fourth day of February, 1874, a public sitting for the said bankrupts to pass their last examination and make application for their discharge, will be held before the Honorable Matthew Baillie Begbie, Chief Justice of British Columbia, on the 25th day of April, 1874, at the Supreme Court-house, James Bay, Victoria, at 12 o'clock noon, precisely, the day last aforesaid, being the day limited for the said bankrupts to surrender.

CHARLES EDWARD POOLEY, Esquire, of Victoria, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. EDWIN JOHNSON, of the same place, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

The first meeting of creditors has been duly held, and at the public sitting abovementioned proofs of debts of creditors who have not proved will be received; and the said bankrupts will be required to surrender themselves and to submit themselves to be examined, and to make a full disclosure and discovery of all their estate and effects and to finish their examinations. ap2

Caution to Miners.

THE LIST OF PRICES OF GOODS AT Lear & Co's store, Fort Wrangel, published in THE COLONIST, is no doubt correct; but the writer omits one important fact, viz: **That goods purchased at that place are subject to Duty on reaching Stickeen River.**
mh14 A MINER.

WOODS' HARVESTING MACHINES.

OPPENHEIMER BROS.

HAVING BEEN APPOINTED SOLE AGENTS IN British Columbia for the sale of

WOODS' HARVESTING MACHINES,

Have in hand

Mowers,
Combined Mowers and Reapers,
Self-Raking Reapers.

These Machines have been awarded

FIRST PREMIUMS

At Fairs held in every part of the world.

Strength and durability are combined with cheapness and utility.

Call and examine Premium List and procure circulars.

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Victoria, B. C.,
3md&w And Yale, B. C.

NOTICE.

THE TRANSMISSION OF GOLD DUST AND Bullion through Her Majesty's Mails in the Province of British Columbia will be suspended from the 1st April next.
ROBT. WALLACE,
Victoria, March 17th, 1874. Postoffice Inspector. mh19

REMOVAL.

THE BUSINESS OF

ALBION HOUSE

DRY GOODS ESTABLISHMENT,

A. B. GRAY, PROPRIETOR,

Will be Removed to Piper's old stand on Government street,

On Thursday, 9th April,

A LARGE AND COMPLETE STOCK OF

NEW GOODS

ARCIVED BY LAST

"PRINCE ALFRED"

and will be on display in the new premises on the day of opening

N. B.—In order to have an entirely new stock of goods in the new premises the present stock will be sold at Auction on Tuesday, 7th inst. See separate Advertisement. ap3

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE MR. LD LOWENBERG will, by arrangement, transact all the business connected with the Real Estate Agency of Robt. Burnaby & Co.
THOS. LETT STAHLSCHMIDT.
Victoria, V.I., 1st April, 1874. ap2

Whitewashing, Kalsomining and Coloring,

CHIMNEY-BUILDING AND GENERAL JOBBING

MASON WORK

WILL BE EXECUTED WITH NEATNESS and dispatch by

JOHN WILLIAMS.

Orders may be left at Frank Campbell's or C. Bossi's, Government street. mh29 1m

ON HING,

Dealerin

Groceries, Dry Goods,

Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Hats and Caps HAS REMOVED

To Johnson street, one door East of Eastman's Butcher Shop.

Manufactures Drawers, Undershirts, Overalls, etc., which he offers for sale by Wholesale and Retail, at Low Rates. jal1 2m

GRAND DEMONSTRATION!

—BY THE—

Sons of Temperance

—IN THE—

ALHAMBRA HALL,

On Wednesday Eve'g, April 15th,

When several strangers are expected to address the meeting. Temperance Songs and Glees will be sung on the occasion.

The Chair will be taken at 7½ p.m.

ap7 Tickets, 25 Cents each.

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Every Man His Own Physician!

DR. RADCLIFFE'S GREAT REMEDY.

SEVEN SEALS OR GOLDEN WONDER,

FOR INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL USE.

A Source of Happiness to Millions of Suffering Humanity.

During the past year the wonderful success of this Great Remedy has far exceeded our most sanguine expectations; Thousands have been Cured, and thousands have found out from actual experience that Dr. Radcliffe's Great Remedy, SEVEN SEALS OR GOLDEN WONDER, is the most wonderful Pain Destroyer in existence, the most Expeditious, Safe and Powerful Remedy known in the World. Cures are effected almost instantly, as if by magic. Thousands of Certificates have been received from all parts of our broad land, unsolicited and unasked for, speaking in heartfelt and universal praise of this Great Remedy, from personal knowledge of its almost miraculous powers in curing the most obstinate and protracted cases of Disease.

FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED, who is appointed Sole Agent for British Columbia, with full power to appoint sub-agents in this Province

PIERRE CLAIR, [ap2dw] **YALE, B.C.**

W. & J. Wilson,

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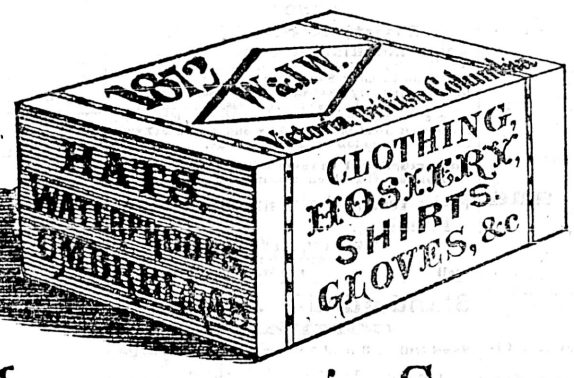
LATEST STYLES in CLOTHING HATS &c.



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(Opposite the Post Office.)

For Sale—To Let.

FOR SALE.

THE HOUSE AND LOT NOW OCCUPIED by me as a Furniture Store, corner of Government and Broughton streets.
For particulars apply to
mh22 J. SEHL.

FOR SALE.

THE SLOOP "RINGLEADER," 16 tons register, well found in Rigging, Sails, Anchors and every article requisite for immediate service, is offered for sale by the undersigned.
Apply to CHARLES DAKE,
mh29tf* On board.

To Gardeners and others.

TO BE LET—FIVE ACRES OF EXCELLENT Garden Land on Cadboro Bay Road.

ALSO—Four Acres of Pasture on Fort street, near Harris' Pond.

ALSO—A suburban 5-Acre Lot on Cook street.

ALSO—A good Town Lot on Pandora street.

Apply to H. F. HEISTERMAN,
mh14 2w Land Agent, Langley street.

To Gardners and others.

TO BE LET—FIVE ACRES OF GOOD Garden Land in this city. Apply to
T. ALLSOP & Co., Land Agents,
mh13 Government st., Victoria.

SLOOP FOR SALE.

THE STAUNCH SLOOP "DUNCAN" 10 tons burthen, well found in anchors, sails and rigging, and ready for sea, is offered for sale. She is well adapted for Northwest Coast trade. Apply at the NORTH PACIFIC SALOON,
mh5tf Corner Yates and Wharf sts.

TO LET,

FOR ONE YEAR—THE LAND KNOWN as Medana's Grove and Niss' Point.
Apply to J. ROLAND HETT,
mh15 Bastion street.

To Let,

FURNISHED, FOR SIX MONTHS, FROM June to December next, the house now occupied by the undersigned on Queen's Avenue.

The premises include a large garden, croquet ground stable, etc. Apply to ALFRED FELLOWS,
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150 ACRES OF LAND IN SOUTH SAANich; 50 under Cultivation.
For terms, etc., apply to HY. SIMPSON.
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A Good Chance to Invest $1500 or $2000 Profitably.

WISHING TO GO EAST, I WILL DISpose of my Store and Stock of Goods on hand at Fidalgo, giving the use of my Wharf and the Post Office business to the Purchaser. The location is A 1, being in the centre of the best farming district on Puget Sound. The mail steamer from Seattle to Whatcom lands at the Wharf twice a week. The nearest store is twelve miles distant.

For particulars apply in person or by letter to
WM. MUNKS.
FIDALGO, Whatcom Co., W. T.,
March 3d, 1874. mh13 2w dw

FOR SALE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT private sale the Swan Lake Hotel.
For particulars apply at Hotel, Saanich Road
jal7 WM. SMITH.

FOR SALE.

A FARM WITHIN A VERY SHORT DIStance of Victoria, partly cleared and partly covered with timber. It would be a good investment, if only for the firewood upon it, which amounts to millions of cords. Apply at The COLONIST Office between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. ja6dw

HENRY SHORT,
GUN & RIFLE MAKER,

GOVERNMENT STREET, NEAR PANDORA,

HAS JUST RECEIVED DIRECT FROM LONdon a large assortment of

FISHING TACKLE,

COMPRISING:

Salmon Rods,
Trout Fly Rods,
Reels,
Salmon and Trout Lines.
Morocco Fly Books,

Spoon and Artificial Baits for Trout and Salmon,

Artificial Flies, tied expressly for the Rivers and Lakes of British Columbia.

Shipping.

NOTICE.

THE STEAMER

"ONWARD"

Will make Regular Trips to YALE, commencing 1st April.

Leaves New Westminster at 7 a. m. on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

Returning—Leaves Yale on Mondays at 8:30 a.m., and on Fridays at 5 a.m.

For Freight or Passage apply to
JOHN DICKSON,
New Westminster.
Or to CAPT. O. PARSONS,
mh22 Victoria.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO,
THE STEAMSHIP

Prince Alfred,

CAPTAIN F. C. SHOLL,

Carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will leave Victoria for San Francisco on or about the 11th and 25th of each month.

For Passage or Freight apply to
BRODRICK & Co., Agents,
de24 Wharf street.

EX. "PRINCE ALFRED."

25 Cases M. M. New Season Tea, in 10 lb. Boxes.

25 Half Chests, J. R. & Co. New Season Tea, in 10 lb. boxes.

70 Quarter chests, J. R. & Co., in 18 lb. cases.

25 Half cases Japan, New Season Tea, in 1-4 lb. and 1 lb. papers.

For sale by
J. RUFFF & Co.,
Importers and Wholesale Grocers,
Wharf Street, Victoria, B. C.
March 26, 1874. mh26

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STEAM
Book & Job Printing
OFFICE.

THE PROPRIETOR HAVING ADDED a large assortment of

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FAST JOB PRESSES

is now prepared to execute all orders, from Town and Country, in the best style of the art, and at

VERY LOW RATES.

Billheads, Blanks, Books, Pamphlets, Circulars, Business and Visiting Cards, Certificates of Stock, etc. etc., printed at short notice. jy1 dw

FARMERS, ATTENTION!

ABOUT FOUR TONS OF TELEGRAPH WIRE, suitable for fencing, can be had on application to [fe12] WM. P. FARRON.

Victoria Water Works.
Notice.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE WHOLE AMOUNT of Debentures authorized by the Victoria Water Works Act, 1873, having been taken up, further applications will not be received.

JAMES D. ROBINSON,
Water Commissioner.

City Council Chambers,
March 19th, 1874. mh26

Wanted.

Situation Wanted.

AS BOOK-KEEPER BY A YOUNG MAN WHO will have a Diploma from the B. A. College, Toronto, in a short time.

Can give good references. Will be in this city in May. G. K. H., B.A. College.
mh25

WANTED.

A NURSE GIRL—
Apply to MRS. ROSCOE, Ross Bay.
mh10 Or to FELLOWS & ROSCOE, Yates st.

WANTED.

A FEMALE TEACHER FOR THE GRANville School, Burrard Inlet. Salary, $50 per month with House rent free. Duties to commence in April. Apply, stating qualifications, to
RICHARD ALEXANDER,
Secty. Trustee Board.
Burrard Inlet, March 4, 1874. mh19

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BEDDING OF ALL KINDS

CROCKERY,

Glass and Platedware,

Tinned and Enamelled Saucepans,

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Dinner and Tea Sets,

CARPETS,

TABLE AND FLOOR OILCLOTH

CHINA MATTING,

A FINE ASSORTMENT OF BLACK ALPACAS,

Also—A largre assortment of

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS

Received per "Prince of Wales."

JUST RECEIVED—A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

Wall Paper,

Furniture Repaired, Bought and Exchanged.

Dinner Plates, Fifty Cents per Dozen.

Mansell & Holroyd,

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Yates Street, Next door to Mr. Stewart, Gasfitter,

VICTORIA, B. C.

GUNS, PISTOLS, SEWING MACHINES, and Locks repaired with dispatch and at Reasonable Rates. ap4 1m

MUNICIPAL—TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED until Wednesday, the 8th inst., at 7 o'clock, p.m., for repairs to certain Fire Cisterns.

Specifications can be seen at the office of the City Surveyor, on and after Monday next, 6th inst., from 10 to 4 o'clock.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order of the Mayor and Council.
WM. LEIGH, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office, April 4th, 1874. ap4

Daily British Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, APRIL 12TH, 1874.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Is the only Paper Published at Victoria that receives Regular Telegraphic Dispatches.

DEATHS.

On the 10th April, at his residence, Lakehill, Vancouver Island, B. C., Kenneth Mackenzie, Esq., J. P., in his 63d year, formerly of East Lothian, Scotland.

The "Reign of Terror."

The *Standard* of Thursday last undertakes to defend the conduct of "O. K.," *alias* one of the members for Yale, for a cowardly attack on the teacher and operator at Yale for having taken part in a public meeting at Yale in which the member was taken to task for having supported the Government policy of breaking the Terms of Union as shown in the following paragraphs:

"We should be sorry to deprive either teachers or operators of the right to exercise the franchise in common with other members of the community, but that they should be allowed to play the part of political demagogues is another matter altogether. As for telegraph operators, as "O. K." justly remarks, 'they have no business to mix themselves up in party politics, as they have not only possession of the secrets of the Government, but also those of the contending political parties.' By so doing he destroys the confidence which the public should at all times have in those who are entrusted with confidential communications as is unavoidably the case with the telegraphic operation."

In the same issue of the Government organ we find, under the caption "Quesnelmouth endorses the Government," Mr. Jas. Stone's name as seconding a resolution favoring the Government and bespattering the Premier with fulsome praise. Mr. Stone is the telegraph operator at Quesnelle, a foreigner and consequently a non-voter (the resolution, in fact, was moved and seconded by foreigners). Why does not Mr. Stone come in for a share of blame also? The difference is that Stone, a foreigner, supports while Pleace, a British subject, opposes. That's the difference. Mark that!

Up-Country.

Fraser and Quesnel rivers are still frozen over at Quesnelmouth.

Snow is fast disappearing from the upper country. Stock above Clinton have wintered exceedingly well.

From William Creek to within 8 miles of Quesnelle, good sleighing, from thence to Carpenter's Mountain, roads are very bad, neither waggoning nor sleighing; over Carpenter's Mountain good sleighing; along Lake La Hache roads bad for waggoning; through the green timber fair sleighing.

Mr. H. Felcker has started for Cassiar with about 50 head of beef cattle. The Government of B. C. will have to be alive with their road-making, as others will shortly follow in Mr. Felcker's wake, the farmers up here are determined to supply the new diggings with beef if possible.

THE RIEL AMNESTY.—The question as to whether or not amnesty has been promised to Riel is the subject of much discussion in the press of Old Canada. A leading article in the *Globe* of the 26th ult, concludes with the following frank admission:—

"Up to this hour, however, we have never had a particle of evidence adduced that such a promise was really given. The men who could speak with authority on the subject are still alive, and are still accessible."

The admission of the *Globe* scarcely accords with the constantly reitreated assertion that amnesty was promised by the late Administration. We have good reason for believing that amnesty was promised Riel and his confederates; but it was prior to the murder of Scott, and only intended to cover political offences up to the time the promise was made. Such being the case, subsequent offences, more particularly the murder of Scott, could not be covered or in any way affected thereby.

OUR AGENT-GENERAL.—The Ottawa *Free Press* thus alludes to the Agent General of this Province in England: "Mr. Gilbert Malcolm Sproat, Agent-General for British Columbia in London, is a Scottish merchant who formerly resided at Victoria for several years as head of the importing firm of Anderson and Co., the colonial branch of Anderson, Thomson, & Co., shipowners and merchants, of Fenchurch Street, London. Since he returned to the old country he has acted as Agent-General for British Columbia, both when it was an independent colony and since it has become a Province of Canada. In this capacity he has always been alive to anything affecting the interests of British possessions on the Pacific, and very recently he has succeeded in organizing a colony of retired British officers who, with their families, are about to proceed thither for settlement."

"FROM THE MOUNTAINS TO THE SEA."—We stated on Friday morning that the great Quesnel meeting favoring the local Government, represented five voters. We are now in possession of information that it was the result of a request sent by the PREMIER to Mr. D. Robertson, of that place, that a meeting be called to endorse the general policy of risking the Terms to secure $250,000 for a Dry Dock, and $1,000,000 for roads, bridges, etc. What a pitiful spectacle the Premier of British Columbia begging a polling division of five voters to hold a public meeting to endorse his grand policy.

A DEAR VOTE.—The Omineca returns are in, only one vote cast—that was for Thompson. Bully for the one voter! cost the Government $245 to record his vote, leaving out of the question ballot-boxes, tickets, clerks, pencils, screens, sealing-wax, and all the rest of the paraphernalia that the progressive spirit of the age has brought into operation to make our honest man a hypocrite.—*Mainland Guardian.*

DISALLOWED.—An Ottawa journal says: The act of the British Columbia Legislature "to authorize one justice of the peace to do any act, matter or thing heretofore to be done by two justices of the peace and to give an appeal to courts of general of quarter sessions," has been disallowed by His Excellency the Governor General.

Lower Fraser.

On Friday Coroner Trew held an inquest on the body of a man found in the river at Canoe Pass. From the evidence it would appear to be the body of J. Powers who had been working at Burrard Inlet and New Westminster.

Mr. T. Spence has completed the work of removing the Port Sister Rock, between Hope and Yale. Mr. Spence has performed a difficult task and we regret to hear that it has been done at a personal loss.

The Royal Columbian Hospital Board met on Wednesday when the following officers were elected: R. Dickinson, President; J. A. Webster, Vice-President; A. Peele, Secretary.

Kootenay and Rock Creek.

Mr. Johnston, the Expressman, who brought down the election returns, says that miners have struck diggings on Wesley Bar that pay $20 to $50 for the days work of 3 or 4 hours to the hand. The contentment is general and no one talks of going to Cassiar. Beef, 6 cents; vegetables 3 cents per lb. Price's claims had been sold out for $2,000 per share. Cattle had wintered well at Kootenay. At Similkameen, Rock Creek and Colville many head have died. The snow is still very deep. The spring is backward, and Mr. Johnston had to use snowshoes to within one mile of Hope. Wardle the mail-carrier has gone into the diggings.

OPPOSITION BANQUET. An Ottawa journal gives the following:—The evening before our representatives from British Columbia left for Ottawa, a banquet was given to the members of the Royal Opposition in the Local Government by the citizens of Victoria, in recognition of the firm and determined stand taken by them during the late session, in reference to the proposed interference with the Terms of Union by the Local Government. Over 200 were present. We understand that such a successful demonstration has never taken place at Victoria, throwing into the shade the well remembered banquet given to the late Hon. W. H. Seward. Full particulars will arrive in a few days. Amongst those present were almost the entire wealthy business men of Victoria as well as the bulk of the Senators and members of the House of Commons. Messrs. McCreight and Robertson made powerful speeches.

FREIGHT SHUT OUT.—A large quantity of freight was shut out by the Prince Alfred on her last trip, to the great disappointment of wholesale and retail dry goods storekeepers who were expecting their spring stock, and which would have come to hand but for the unusually large quantity of English, Canadian and American freight that was sent down to the Prince Alfred previous to her sailing on the 6th. The goods shut out cannot reach here now until the 24th inst., so customers had better delay their purchases for a fortnight. * *

PASSENGERS BOOKED.—The following passengers were booked for San Francisco: Mrs. Forman, Mrs. Jones and infant, Miss C. Forman, Wm. Gibbon, wife and three children, Mrs. Lipsett and child, Miss L. Todd, C. Shodbeck, D. D. Manson, J. S. Thompson, Mrs. Nicholl, H. Biddle, wife and two children, S. W. Mitchell and wife, L. A. McTavish, and 27 in the steerage. The steamer was to sail at daylight this morning, having discharged 570 tons of freight and coaled in nine hours.

SIR LAMBTON LORRAINE, commander of the British ship Niobe, whose gallant conduct in threatening to bombard Santiago de Cuba, unless the butchery of the Virginius prisoners was stopped, saved the lives of a number of American citizens, has been paid a graceful compliment by the citizens of New York. On his arrival there on March 16th, he was waited upon by a deputation from the City Council, and tendered the freedom of the city.

A SCHEME TO PAY THE NATIONAL DEBT. It is estimated that there are eight hundred thousand life-insurance policy holders in this country, the amount they are insured for being equal to the national debt. By killing them all off and making way with their relatives, perhaps we could cancel our obligations and resume at once. Congressmen should consider this. *American Paper.*

THEATRE ROYAL.—We were glad to see a large audience present last evening. The first play was "Checkmate," in which Mrs. Phelps, Miss Morgan, and Messrs. Crowell, Barrows and Simms, performed admirably. The interlude was capital, and the afterpiece was played with great spirit.....To-morrow evening, a fine bill.

THE steamer Enterprise, with the following passengers, arrived from New Westminster yesterday: Mrs. Dodgson, Miss Ladd, Rev. Hodges, J. A. Webster, E. Stevens, T. Spence, J. Loring, D. W. Miller, Mr. Johnson, Mr. Vaughan, Mr. Hasard.

TIRED OF HIM.—The intelligent Lillooet correspondent of the *Mainland Guardian* says the electors are "getting up a requisition to Mr. Saul, asking him to resign his seat, as they disapprove of his past acts in the Legislature and have no confidence in him for the future and do not wish him to represent them any more."

THE PREMIER, yesterday, found a horse about as difficult to drive as the People. The animal shied, reared, kicked, turned a somersault, and finished by lying down on his back upon the buggy, crushing the vehicle and a hat which the Premier, in making a rapid exit, left behind.

NANAIMO is to have a boot and shoe store. Mr. Thomas Smith, well known and respected here, has brought a stock of goods from San Francisco and will open it to the Black Diamonds on Wednesday next.

FOR CASSIAR.—The steamer California was to sail this morning at daylight for Fort Wrangel. She has 120 passengers, 6 boats and canoes, and a full freight—60 tons of which came from Victoria.

LONDON HOUSE.—Turner, Beeton & Tunstall have received 25 cases containing their Spring Stock of Millinery and Dry Goods, which will be opened to-day. * *

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Province. * *

Yale and Their 2nd Member

EDITOR COLONIST.—In the Weekly *Standard* of the 1st inst. appears Mr. Robinson's address to the electors of Yale if it be lawful to call it an address; he certainly read from the *Government Gazette* a most voluminous amount of information, but he certainly must have known (in fact he admits,) that the good people of Yale had read long before the hon. member's arrival, all that he was boring them to death with, a recapitalution of reading over the *Government Gazette*, of news, stale and improfitable. In regard to that celebrated trip through the district, which embraces the principal part of his speech, and which the hon. gentleman undertook at so great a sacrifice of his time and money to learn and find out personally the wants of the people, why did Mr. Robinson go so far outside his own district? It certainly must be looked upon by the three Hon. Members representing the Cariboo or Lillooet districts as a piece of impertinence. I should presume to think that our member would have found work enough to do in looking after the interests of his own district without encroaching upon the rights of others; but he excuses himself for going beyond his own district, to have a look at the main trunk road at Lake LaHache, a fine grazing section of Clinton. Well, we all know that that part of the road is under entire control of the Government, who have an able superintendent engaged at a large salary to look after it. Now, suppose the people of Yale do not believe that that trip was undertaken altogether through patriotism, or for the interest and welfare of his constituents; but with more of a selfish nature; perhaps the hon. member on that trip combined both pleasure and private affairs; perhaps he was looking for a situation at Clinton and found himself, when he srrived there, unqualifor the position; or perhaps he was climbing over our mountains and swimming up our rivers, or roaming at leisure in our valleys hunting up a nice hay ranch for his stock. If dame rumor is correct, I may say that our member, instead of gleaning information in the interest of his district, was enjoying a summer's cruise on his own private business hunting up hay ranches. Now, it is certainly very unfair and silly to tell the people of Yale that he is out of pocket four hundred dollars looking after their interests; perhaps he wants us to refund the money as we do not want his services any longer. Now we would like to know if Mr. Robinson did not receive a dispatch from the Government requesting him to go over the road? If so, his expenses have been paid by the Government, as no Government expects services to be performed for nothing. I have known candidates for Legislative honors disown second cousins during electioneering time who were all the money they spent. Our member, with a grand flourish of his kids, takes exceptions to his friends signing the resolutions that were passed at a former meeting. He claims that his duty to his country and himself is to stand by the government policy; had not the gentlemen who signed these resolutions an equal duty to perform to their country and themselves? and why should you, sir, our servant, arrogate to yourself what you will only do? As our servant you have been unfaithful, and it is the prerogative of a master to discharge an unwilling and unfaithful servant. You were sent to zealously guard our interests, and to be guided in all important matters appertaining to the welfare of the country by your constituents; which sacred duty you have egregiously failed to perform. Bah! when the people change their opinion it is spoken out, not smothered in soft words, so as to seem nothing but a change of coffee for tea, or toast for muffin. Oh! if the hon. member has only the wit to know what a goose he is, he might be respectable; if he could flash lightning into the souls of men, he might be a hero; if he could rob one feather from the wings of Cherub—almost a god! Now what does the pigmy again say in regard to those resolutions. He says the electors who placed their names on the petition were but "a mere fragment of the district." In answer to that I can honestly say that the little Weather-cock owes his present position to the people of Yale, and if it had not been by most consummate tacton the part of his friends he must have been defeated. Now, sir, always tell the truth and shame the d—l; because all honorable men condemn a perversion of facts.

ECOSSAIS.

YALE, April 6, 1874.

THE TICHBORNE CLAIMANT IN PRISON.—Since his incarceration in Newgate, says the London 'Telegraph,' the Claimant has done his best to keep up the delusion that he is the missing heir to the baronetcy and estates. He stoutly refuses to answer to the appellation of Orton or Castro, but willingly responds to the name of Tichborne. Otherwise he has accepted his fate, submitting to the prison regulations, and accommodated himself to his changed position with as much ease and tact as he had shown before in passing from the life of a bushranger to the "role" of a baronet. The prisoner seems to have been most impressed with his fall when he had to don the prison apparel. It was brought to him on Monday. His convict garb is a brown woolen suit, with knee-breeches, ribbed woolen stockings, common leather shoes, and a cap with a little knob atop, without a peak. It is scarcely necessary to say that the suit required some expansive dimensions. The shirt-sleeves are thirty-seven inches round, the muscle of the arm alone being twenty-seven inches, and the chest is fifty-six inches. When it was shown to Orton, he faltered a little, but the feeling was only momentary, and he quickly regained his usual self-possession. In this altered dress, close-shaven and the hair cropped short, the huge bulk of the prisoner only remains to identify him with the defendant of the Queen's Bench. His manner since his confinement has been taciturn, but not sullen. He rises at six, retires at nine, sleeps wonderfully well, and, on the whole,, takes kindly to his skilly; but rather fails in picking oakum. He does not succeed in getting through anything like the portion allotted to him; but the tar-rope is somewhat trying, and as yet his fingers are rather delicate for the work.

By Electric Telegraph.

EXCLUSIVE TO THE COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—The President has nominated P. Avery of this city Minister to China, vice Low, resigned. Mr. Avery was formerly one of the editors of the *Evening Bulletin.*

Eastern States.

BOSTON, April 10.—After the second ballot for Senator to-day the Joint Convention adjourned till noon to-morrow. The prospects of the election appears as distant as when voting began.

Europe.

BERLIN, April 10.—The Government has accepted the amendment proposed by the Liberal members of Reichstag limiting the total strength of the army to 40,000 men and the period of service to seven years.

A dispatch to the *News* says Bismarck distinctly warned several Liberal deputies who called on him yesterday that he would resign in favor of Gen. Manteuffel. The Liberals afterwards unanimously agreed on the compromise previously reported.

Bismarck's condition is improving.

LONDON, April 11.—Operatives in the cotton mills at Galton having struck work an association of master cotton spinners have resolved that unless they yield before Thursday next nothing will be given them. From that date the mills of that city will be closed and 17,000 operatives locked out.

India.

A special from Calcutta to the *Standard* reports that the famine is everywhere under control. The accumulation of provisions made by the Government is more than sufficient to meet the demands and further aid by subscription in England is considered superfluous.

Canada.

TORONTO, April 10.—A rumor has been in circulation here for some time that at the expiration of Lord Dufferin's term of office as Governor-General the Duke of Edinburgh will be appointed as his successor. The *Globe* says this is among the category of inpracticable things.

Second Dispatch.

Newfoundland.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., April 11.—The Captain of the whaling steamer Panther gives the following account of his meeting with the Tigress on Friday the 3rd inst.

The Panther was in long. 51 deg., 15 min., lat. 50 deg. 12 min. north. On her return to St. John's she reports a steamer apparently moving only under sail with flags at half-mast; went on board and discovered her to be the steamer Tigress. The captain and chief officers were on deck, and I was informed that on Thursday, April the 2nd, at 2 p. m., the vessel was shaken all over by the terrific explosion of her boiler, which created great terror and confusion as the escaped steam completely enveloped every compartment below. In consequence all steaming facilities had been destroyed and they had then been under sail against head winds 24 hours.

When I reached the deck of the Tigress a number of men were nailing together eight fine wooden boxes for the bodies of the unfortunate men who had been killed by accident on the day of the explosion. The weather was dreadfully cold with a stiff breeze blowing and a heavy surf running.

A number of the men had gone below after their watch and had just turned in on top of the boiler for sake of warmth; eighteen of the crew were reposing this way when the crash came and some of them were literally shattered beyond recognition. The engineers on duty at the time were both killed.

Close of the Ashantee War.

This war sheds fresh glory on British arms and Sir Garnet Wolseley has been written down a great General. The following account is given of the entry into Coomassie:—

"Although our men were excessively fatigued by over seven hours' fighting, it was determined to press on to Coomassie, and we reached the Ashantee capital at dusk. In entering the city the same order was maintained as has been observed in our progress from the Prah. The first man actually within Coomassie was Lord Gifford, who has gallantly led the way with his scouts, and been in the thick of all the fighting. He was wounded, and had to be carried into the city. Next came the Black Watch, which has fought so gallantly and lost so heavily. Their ranks have been sadly thinned by the fighting of these last few days, but they were yet in sufficient force to raise a tremendously hearty Highland cheer as they came within the black capital. All felt that they were entitled to the shout of triumph. Next followed the detachment of the 23rd Regiment, after them the Rifle Brigade, and finally the gallant Naval Brigade."

Sir Garnet Wolseley in his despatch and Earl Kumberly says:—

"No opposition was offered to our entry into the town. We occupied the town. Mr. Dawson was met, at full liberty, walking in the streets. I immediately issued stringent orders for the protection of the inhabitants, and the safety of the town. But night fell almost immediately after our entry, and in the darkness it was impossible to prevent some of the numerous camp-followers from pillaging. The Fantee prisoners had also been released, and in all probability were largely engaged in the same pursuit. The result was the outbreak of many fires. Captain Baker, Inspector General of the Police, and several officers were engaged nearly all night in the suppression of the pillaging, and in putting out the fires. One policeman taken in the act was hung. I endeavored immediately on my arrival to communicate with the King through Mr. Dawson, and through every channel that appeared to offer an opportunity. A chief having come into Coomassie who was said to be sent by the King, I saw him myself, and impressed upon him my wish to spare the town, and my desire to impose on the King no severer conditions than those he had already accepted. Moreover I told this man that, now that I had shown the power of England, I was ready, if the King would make peace at once, to accept a small instalment of the indemnity, and not to exact the same previously required to be paid in ready money. Other messengers were obtained who undertook to reach the King. To these I entrusted the letter dated Coomassie, 5th February, 1874. All was, however, of no avail. The men whom I endeavored to employ as messengers, and who came avowedly as envoys of the King, were found treacherously removing powder and gold dust from the houses. The whole scheme of Ashantee politics is so based upon treachery, that the King does not either understand any other form of negotiation, or believe it possible that others can have honest intentions. Under these circumstances, my Lord, it became clear that a treaty would be as valueless to us as it was difficult to obtain. Nothing remained but to leave such a mark of our powder to punish as should deter from future aggression a nation whom treaties did not bind. I had done all I could to avoid the necessity, but it was forced upon me. I gave orders for the destruction of the palace and the burning of the city. I had at one time also contemplated the destruction of the Bantoma, where the sacred ashes of former kings are entombed, but this would have involved a delay of some hours. Very heavy rain had fallen. I feared that the streams might have risen in my rear sufficiently to seriously delay my march. I considered it better, therefore, not to risk further the health of the troops, the wet weather having already threatened seriously to affect it. The demolition of the place was complete. From all that I can gather, I believe that the result will be such a diminution in the prestige and military power of the Ashantee monarch as may result in the break up of the kingdom altogether. This I had been anxious to avoid, because it seems impossible to foresee what power can take this nation's place among the feeble races of this coast.

"In any case, my lord, I believe that the main object of my expedition has been perfectly secured. The territories of the Gold Coast will not again be troubled by the warlike ambition of this restless power. I may add, that the flag of England from this moment will be received throughout Western Africa with respectful awe, a treatment which has been of late years by no means its invariable fate among the savage tribes of this region."

In a second dispatch of even date he refers to the expedition undertaken by Capt. Butler, he says:—

"But so far as the interests of the expedition under my orders are concerned, Capt. Butler has not failed, but most successfully acheived the very object which I had in view in detaching him for the work he had so cheerfully and skillfully undertook. He has effected a most important division in favor of the main body, and has detained before him all the forces of one of the most powerful Ashantee chiefs. For any purpose for which energy, practical ability, high spirit, and much knowledge of character are required, I cannot too highly recommend Capt. Butler to your lordship's attention. All these qualities have been, under the most trying circumstances, displayed by him upon the present occasion.

King Koffee's capital is a much superior town to what we had expected to find. The King's palace is really a handsome building. It was found to contain a quantity of silks and a large amount of curious and even valuable furnishings, all of which, by the Major's command, has been jealously guarded. In the night there was some looting, and the Fantees fired several houses, causing immense consternation among the inhabitants who had remained. Everything has been done, however, to keep our native allies within bounds, and some looting Kossus have been hanged by way of example. One frightful drawback to the place is the stench of exposed corpses which is encountered in all directions. The scene of the "Execution House," was apalling.

The King and the Chiefs are still in the bush on the north of the town. Sir Garnet Wolseley despatched a messenger to His Majesty requesting his attendance here, and a reply was sent back immediately, arriving in the course of the night, that the King would come at once. His arrival to sign a treaty of peace is hourly expected.

Tired as our fellows were, they kept guard all night. I should state that during the battle at Adasi our baggage was left at Agiman. Wood's and Russel's regiments have already been sent back to Adasi, and we expect to follow to-morrow.

We are somewhat short of stores. All our posts on the road have been attacked, but nowhere with any success. The most serious attempt was made by a night surprise on Foomanah, which was very nearly taken; but the convalescents defended the hospital, and eventually drove off the assailants.

Poverty of the Blood.

If the blood be thin and watery the whole system is impoverished. The flesh is flabby, the muscles lack hardness, the nerves are relaxed, the internal organs but imperfectly perform their functions, the brain is inert, and, in short, the entire body is only half alive. The stomach is mainly responsible for this wretched condition of the human machine. Stimulate and tone that organ with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, and a marked change for the better will soon be apparent. The result of improving the digestion with this potent and genial tonic will be the conversion of the food into rich, pure blood, and as the blood is the raw material from which flesh, muscle, brain, bone, and every membrance, tissue and ligament of the body are manufactured, all htose components of the material frame will be gradually regenerated and invigorated. This is sound doctrine, and it is sustained by the logic of facts.

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Provincial Agricultural Society.

AT A MEETING OF THE ABOVE SOCIETY held on the 21st ult., a Committee was appointed to prepare a Prize List for 1874, and submit the same at a general meeting to be held on the 23d May next. Suggestions from any one connected with the Society will be thankfully received by the undersigned. THOS. RUSSELL, Secty.

Victoria, April 6th, 1874. ap7dw

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MUNICIPAL.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Municipal Assessment Roll for the year 1874 can be examined (free of charge) at the Assessor's office, Broad street, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p.m., daily.

And notice is hereby further given that a list of all persons who shall not have paid all Municipal Taxes due will be published at the expiration of seven days from the date hereof.

By order of the Mayor and Council.

THOS. RUSSELL,
Assessor and Collector.

Assessor's Office, April 10th, 1874. ap10

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ANNO TRIGESIMO SEPTIMO.
11th March, 1874.

Municipal By-law

Fixing the time when the Municipal Assessment Roll for the year 1874 shall be returned by the Assessor of the City of Victoria, British Columbia, to the Clerk of the Municipal Council of the said City.

WHEREAS it is expedient that the time should be fixed within which the City Assessor shall return the Assessment Roll of the City of Victoria, B.C., for the year 1874 to the Clerk of the Municipal Council of the said City.

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, B.C., that the Assessment Roll of the said City for the year 1874 shall be returned to the Clerk of the Municipal Council of the City aforesaid on the Thirty-first day of March, 1874, in pursuance of sub-section 1 of section 24 of "The Municipality Act, 1872."

This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the Municipal Bylaw fixing the time for the return of the Municipal Assessment Roll, 1874.

Passed the Municipal Council on the 11th day of March, 1874. WM. DALBY, Mayor.
W. LEIGH, Clerk to the Municipal Council.
City Clerk's Office, 11th March, 1874. mh14

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GOVERNMENT NOTICE.

The Collector of Customs thinks it right to give Public Notice that no port on the Stickeen River, or on the North Coast of British Columbia in connection with the Stickeen River, has yet been declared a port of entry by the Government at Ottawa, and that under these circumstances, and until orders to the contrary are issued by the Government, all foreign goods intended for the mines at Dease Lake and its neighborhood must be entered, and duty on them collected, at one of the existing ports of entry in British Columbia. Every facility will be given for passing such goods, as in other cases at Victoria or Esquimalt. On foreign goods already passed up the North Coast, and intended for these mines, duty will be collected at the Boundary Post or at Buck's Bar, and on payment of duty they will be allowed to be taken for consumption into British Columbia.

W. HAMLEY.

CUSTOM HOUSE, VICTORIA,
March 14th, 1874. mh17dw

ANNO TRIGESIMO SEPTIMO

MUNICIPAL BY-LAW to appoint a Time and Place for hearing Complaints Against Assessments.

APRIL 8th, 1874.

WHEREAS BY A BY-LAW DATED THE 11th March, 1874, the 31st day of March, 1874, was appointed for the return of the Assessor to the Clerk of the Municipality of the Assessment Roll for 1874; and whereas the said Roll was returned on that day.

And whereas it is necessary to appoint a time and place for hearing the complaints of such person or persons as may complain of his or their assessments appearing on the said Roll.

Be it, therefore, enacted by the Mayor and Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, B. C., as follows:

That all complaints that may heretofore have been duly made, or which shall hereafter be duly made, by any person or persons of his or their Assessments, as the same appear in the Assessment Roll for the year 1874, shall be heard at the City Council Chambers, Victoria on Friday, the 1st day of May, 1874, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, or so soon thereafter as the said complaints can be heard.

This By-law may be cited for all purposes as the By-law fixing the date of hearing appeals against Real Estate Assessments, 1874.

Passed the Council this 8th day of April, 1874.
WM. DALBY, Mayor.
WM. LEIGH, Clerk Municipal Council. ap10

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WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMPRISING the Deputation of Odd Fellows from Victoria to Nanaimo and back, desire to express our appreciation of the kindness of Mr. Spratt as owner, and of the courtesy of Capt. Holmes during our stay on board, rendering our trip a very enjoyable one, and of which we shall always retain a pleasant remeniscence.

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J. S. DRUMMOND,
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J. SEHL,
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R. LEWIS,
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Annual Report, 1873;

Presented at the annual meeting of Subscribers held 14th January, 1874.

Treasurer's Statement:

RECEIPTS.		AMOUNTS IN 1872
Balance in hand for 1872	$446 60	
Subscriptions	579 50	$665 50
Donations	8 87	54 50
Interest from Savings Bank	13 00	
Government B.C. Grant		150 00
Refund		25 00
Money Boxes		6 60
	$1147 97	$901 60
EXPENDITURE.		
Paid to Secretary for relief granted exclusive of $23-12 due for relief during Nov., 1873 ... $552 83		
For Printing & Sundries .. 31 49	$584 32	$445 00
Balance on hand at Savings Bank and Bank B.C	563 65	446 60
	$1147 97	$901 60

The above figures show a falling off in the Receipts of 1873, as compared with 1872, whilst the Expenditure of the year for relief of distress was considerably more than on the previous year. No Government Grant was received during 1873.

During the year help was afforded in the cases of 30 persons or families, the relief being continued in some instances (where the circumstances called for it) during several months, and the Relief Committee have good reason to believe that the aid rendered has done good service and been applied with due regard to the objects the Society seeks to fulfil.

Amongst the number of those relieved during the past year were 2 widows with children, 2 tradesmen and 2 mechanics (with families) whose reduced circumstances had arisen through ill health or other misfortune. Eleven indigent persons were assisted to reach their homes and friends, and the Society has in this respect again to commend the owners of the mail steamer "Prince Alfred" for the readiness invariably shown by them to further the objects of the Society.

The Ladies Committee (organized and distributed over 10 districts, covering the whole of the City) have proved most useful, and have prevented much delay in the administration of assistance from time to time. One or two attempts at imposition have to be recorded, which however were met and frustrated; but it is gratifying to know that the Society's help has been found acceptable where the recipients would have shrank from making known their distress known.

The good objects of the Society are so broad and comprehensive in their character that they should command the sympathy and support of the well disposed throughout the Province, and it is therefore hoped that the receipts of the present year may be augmented so that the usefulness of the Society may not in any event be jeopardized.

ja16 R. FINLAYSON President.

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Corporation of the City of Victoria.

MARCH 18th, 1874.

BY-LAW

To Regulate the Scale of Costs payable or to be taken in cases of Distress, under "The Municipality Act Amendment Act, 1873."

BE IT ENACTED by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, B.C., as follows:

In all cases of Distress for Taxes under the abovementioned Act the costs shall be regulated, payable and taken according to the following scales:

(a) Where the sum shall not exceed $100—Warrant, $2 50; Man in Possession per day, $2 50.

(b) Where the sum shall exceed $100—Warrant, $4; Man in Possession per day, $2 50.

This By-law may be cited for all purposes as "The Distress Regulation By-law, 1874."

Passed the Municipal Council this 18th day of March, 1874.

WM. DALBY, Mayor.

WM. LEIGH, Clerk to the Municipal Council, Victoria, B. C. mh20

Private Bills.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY, 12th March, 1874.

NOTICE OF INTENDED APPLICATION FOR a Private Bill, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application, must be published in the British Columbia GAZETTE and in a newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the nearest District in which a newspaper is published. Such notice must be continued for six weeks prior to the consideration of the petition for the Bill. The Rules relative to notices of Private Bills are published in full in the British Columbia GAZETTE

J. ROLAND HETT,
mh17 Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

SEALED TENDERS, ENDORSED "TENDERS for the erection of Custom House," will be received by the undersigned until noon of the 25th April, for the erection of a building at the foot of Broughton street. Separate Tenders for the Plasterers' work. Tenders must be on the form to be supplied to contractors. Each tender must be accompanied by a bond duly signed by the Contractor himself and two other responsible residents in the Province in the penal sum of five thousand dollars for the faithful completion of the work.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

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B. W. PEARSE,
Public Works Department, Resdt. Engineer.
Victoria, March 25, 1874. mh27

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